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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL MEMBERS AND CONSULTANTS, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD

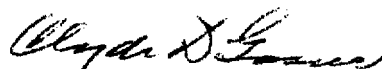
SUBJECT: Visits to Foreign Countries

1. From time to time the Scientific Advisory Board has been afforded the benefit of being briefed by some of its members or consultants or colleagues of such members and consultants who have made visits to foreign countries. Such visits have ranged from taking part in activities sponsored by the U. S. Government, to international affairs of universities, foundations, or industrial concerns with which they have been or are associated.

2. Without exception, the over-all disclosures, the providing of details of events or negotiations and, the descriptions of foreign personalities involved have been very useful inputs to the SAB. Such information has not only been meaningful in assessing current situations but, in the case of future foreign contacts, may well hold promise in terms of usefulness bearing directly or indirectly on the welfare of the nation.

3. During the SAB Executive Committee meeting of 21 April 1959 held in Santa Monica, the Secretariat was directed to contact you and to request your assistance in this matter. Such assistance will be in the form of advising the Chairman of the SAB or the Secretariat of any foreign visits you have made or contemplate, the reporting on which you feel may be of value to the SAB Executive Committee, SAB panels or ad hoc groups or the entire Board.

4. Your cooperation will be very much appreciated.



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